

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A communication apparatus connectable to a ~~communication~~ public network, which provides a call forwarding service comprising:

C1 reception means for receiving identification information of a calling party notified from the ~~communication~~ public network when an incoming call is detected at the communication apparatus; and

setting request means for setting requesting the ~~communication~~ public network to activate the call forwarding service such that an incoming call for the communication apparatus is forwarded to the calling party of the identification information received by said reception means,

wherein an incoming call after the setting requesting by said setting request means is forwarded to the calling party of the identification information by the service of the ~~communication~~ public network.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said reception means can receive identification information of another communication apparatus transmitted from the calling party, and

said setting request means can set request the ~~communication~~ public network to activate the call forwarding service on the basis of the identification information of the other communication apparatus.

Claim 3 (Previously Presented): The apparatus according to claim 2, wherein said reception means receives the identification information of the other communication apparatus depending on whether or not the identification information of the calling party is received.

C / Claim 4 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 2, wherein said ~~setting request~~ means sets requests the ~~communication~~ public network to activate the call forwarding service on the basis of the identification information of the calling party or the other communication apparatus in accordance with an instruction from the calling party.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said ~~setting request~~ means sets requests the public network to activate the call forwarding service in accordance with a password sent from the calling party.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said reception means also receives time information associated with an activation time of the call forwarding service sent from the calling party, and said ~~setting request~~ means sets requests the ~~communication~~ public network to activate the call forwarding service on the basis of the time information.

Claim 7 (Previously Presented): The apparatus according to claim 6, wherein the time information includes information associated with a deactivation time of the call forwarding service.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 7, wherein said setting request means ~~sets~~ requests the ~~communication~~ public network to deactivate the call forwarding service on the basis of the time information.

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Claim 9 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising:
notification means for notifying an activation result of said setting request means.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 9, wherein said notification means notifies a forwarded-to site ~~set by said setting means~~ of the result.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 8, further comprising:
notification means for notifying a deactivation result of said setting request means.

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 11, wherein said notification means notifies a forwarded-to site ~~set by said setting means~~ of the result.

Claim 13 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the ~~communication~~ public network includes an ISDN (Integrated service digital network).

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Claim 14 (Currently Amended): The apparatus according to claim 13, wherein said setting request means ~~activates~~ requests the ISDN to activate a call forwarding unconditional function ~~of the ISDN~~.

Claim 15 (Currently Amended): A method of controlling a communication apparatus connectable to a ~~communication~~ public network, which provides a call forwarding service, comprising:

a reception step of receiving identification information of a calling party notified from the ~~communication~~ public network when an incoming call is detected; and

a setting request step of setting requesting the communication public network to activate the call forwarding service such that an incoming call for the communication apparatus is forwarded to the calling party of the identification information received in said reception step,

wherein an incoming call after the ~~setting~~ request in said ~~setting~~ request step is forwarded to the calling party of the identification information by the service of the ~~communication~~ public network.

Claims 16-29 (Canceled)

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Claim 30 (Currently Amended): A communication apparatus connectable to a ~~communication~~ public network, which provides a call forwarding service, comprising:

detection means for detecting an incoming call notified from the ~~communication~~ public network;

reception means for receiving information designating forwarded-to site via the ~~communication~~ public network when the incoming call is detected by said detection means; and

~~notification~~ request means for ~~notifying~~ requesting the ~~communication~~ public network ~~of the information to activate the call forwarding service~~ such that an incoming call to the communication apparatus is forwarded[-] to the forwarded-to site designated by the received information,

wherein an incoming call after the ~~notification~~ request is forwarded to the forwarded-to site by the service of the ~~communication~~ public network.